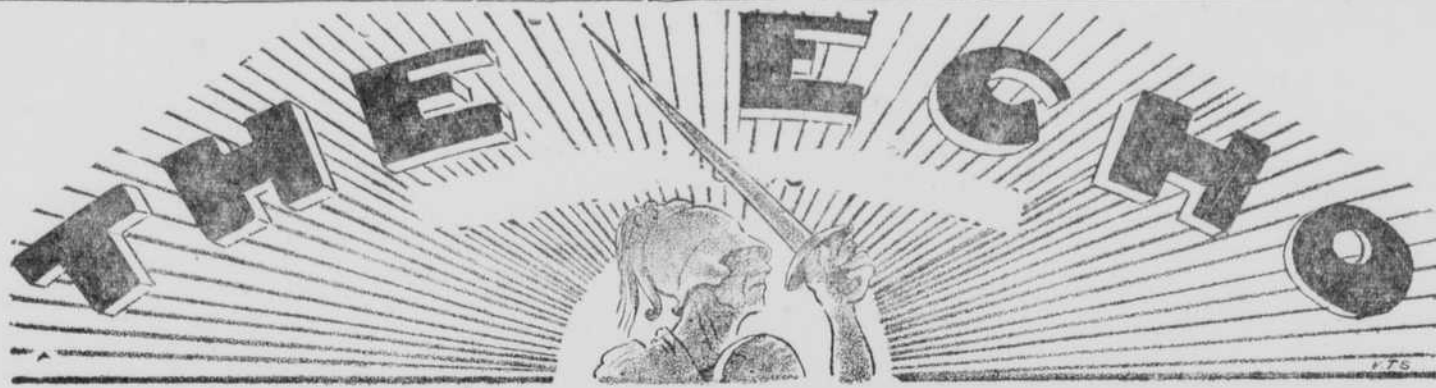


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## FEDERATED CLUBS MEET

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#### REGIONAL GROUP TO MEET IN JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

The Southeastern Federation of Colored Women's Clubs will meet in Jackson, Mississippi, July 12-14, according to information released by Mrs. B. L. Johnson of Prentiss. Mrs. Johnson is president of the organization which includes eight states—Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

The slogan for the meeting is "A Dynamic Force in Our National Defense." Dr. Mary McCleod, founder of the Southeastern, and other outstanding women will speak at the various sessions. The executive board will be presided over by Mrs. Ora Brown Stokes of Virginia. The initial feature of the program will be a mass meeting at 3 p. m., July 12, at the Lanier High School.

Mississippi Club Women are very enthusiastic in making preparations for entertaining the convention. Among the social activities planned is a formal reception sponsored by the Jackson City Federation.

#### Cherrio Club To Celebrate

##### CHEERIO HOME MAKERS CLUB TO CELEBRATE

The Cheerio Home Makers Club met at the home of Mrs. L. F. Brooks, 2710 13th Street, Monday, April 20, at which time plans were completed for the celebration of the club's second Anniversary to be had in the form of an open house at the home of Mrs. Henry Strayhorn, 3420 12th St., Monday, April 27, from 10:30 a. m. to 12:00 noon. The various committees are working to make it an interesting affair. There will be an exhibit covering every phase of work done during the year.

The club is also looking forward to a public appearance in the near future. You will be reading more about it later.

The hostess, Mrs. Brooks, entertained in a very novel way. Each person drew a number upon entrance to the club, and answering the roll call, each gave the number drawn and to which she responded with a household hint in keeping with the article given.

All eyes are now turned toward the celebration Monday, April 27th.

Mrs. R. L. Young, Reporter



Reverend J. H. Walton, pastor of Verona and Palmetta, Varona, Mississippi. He is now attending the State meeting at Jackson.



Reverend E. L. Percoates, pastor of Lynch Street C. M. E. Church, Jackson, Mississippi. He is attending the state meeting of the C. M. E. Church.

#### WE ARE NOT ROUGH

Dear Secretary:

The Board Committee of Lodge No. 301 has made a start to let you know we are in the race, too. "We are not rough, nor eighty tough, but Lodge No. 301 is made of the best of stuff."

Ira Belle Whigham, Reporter

Dear Secretary:

I am sending in two applications as a token on the 1000 MEMBERSHIP DRIVE. Hope to get some more soon.

Walter McCauley, President,  
Lodge 306.

Dear Secretary:

I am sending in an application for renewal in the 1000 MEMBERSHIP DRIVE in honor of the General President. You can count on me.

Mrs. Bertha Sellers, Sec'y.

#### HATTIESBURG, MISS.

Mrs. Lena J. Logan, Hattiesburg, wishes to announce the death of her mother, Mrs. Jennie Brewster. Mrs. Brewster passed April 13. The funeral service was held Thursday, April 16, at 2 o'clock.

#### LEAKESVILLE, MISS.

This comes to announce the marriage of Mr. W. H. J. Weaver, president of Lodge No. 344. President Weaver was married on April 5th, at 4 o'clock. We wish to congratulate Mr. Weaver and his 38 year old wife, who will reside in Hillman, Miss.

Rev. C. C. Carlyess



Reverend W. L. Expose, Columbia, Miss. Reverend Expose is pastor of the Goodwater and Pleasant Grover Circuit, Magee, Miss.

### About Folk We Know

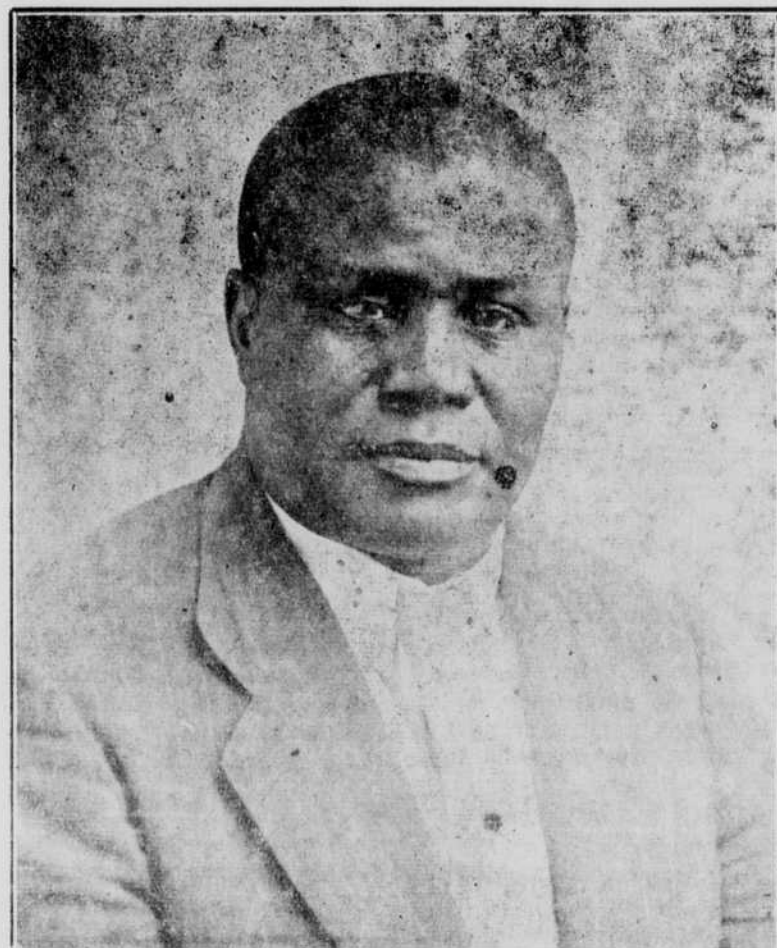
#### STATE LINE, MISS.

Dear Secretary:

We, Lodge No. 301 of State Line, Miss., want the June Board. We can give you an up-to-the-minute nice time. We are in the rank by adding new members to the H. B. A. during the celebration of our father's 75th Anniversary.

Floria Johnson, Reporter

#### Attending State Meeting



Reverend F. K. Davis, treasurer of elder of the Tunica District. He is Mississippi State Fund, C. M. E. now in attendance at the State Meeting. Reverend Davis is presiding in being held at Jackson, Mississippi.

#### Agent A.M. Walker Announces His Personal Service

Mr. A. M. Walker, newly appointed agent for the H. B. A. wishes to make the following announcement to Presidents: "Anytime that you wish me to visit your lodge and help you grow it, please notify me. I will be in Macon, Miss., April 26, W. M. Neal, Monday night, April 27. I am hoping

Mr. John Cotton will arrange for me to be with him Tuesday night, April 28, Eddie Robinson, April 29, and W. G. Davis, April 30. Please let me know if the above dates are all right with the following lodges: No. 299, 399, 394, and 381. I want to be with

Mrs. S. E. Brock, May 1, Lodge No. 324, May 4, Lodge No. 317, May 5, No. 400, May 7. I wish to state that I will notify Lodges No. 382 and 384 at a later date. If there are any changes to be made, please notify me at the office or Rt. 6, Box 9, Meridian, Miss.

Yours for service,  
A. M. Walker, Agent.

If you do not get your Echo, please notify the office by postal card. We will immediately contact your postmaster. The Echo is mailed 52 weeks in the year.

#### A City Wide Revival



Reverend B. Washington Coates, pastor of Union Baptist Church. Reverend Coates is now in the midst of a revival at his church. Reverend Thompson of Birmingham, Ala., is conducting the meeting.



Reverend E. B. Blackman of Bassfield, Mississippi, pastor of Mt. Pleasant and Collins Circuit. He is now attending the State meeting at Jackson, Mississippi.

### ALCORN MUSIC TEACHERS IN CONCERT

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Alcorn, Miss., April 18, 1942.  
Mrs. Thelma O. Bell, Head, Department of Music, and Mrs. Ruth R. Sanders, Instructor, Public School Music of Alcorn A. & M. College, ap-

peared in a two-piano recital in Oakland Memorial Chapel last Wednesday night. They were assisted by Mrs. Richie H. Talbert, voice, and Mrs. Mattye C. Flowers, violin.

The recital drew heavy applause from a capacity crowd of visitors, students, and faculty members.